नई रेल परियोजनाओं में राज्य सरकारों की भागीदारी

2643. **श्री अजीत जोगी:**
श्री एस०एस० सुरजेवाला:

क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या सरकार नई रेल परियोजनाओं में राज्य सरकारों को भागीदार बनाने पर विचार कर रही है;

(ख) क्या ऐसी कोई योजना बनाई गई है; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है?

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सतपाल महाराज): (क) जी हां।

(ख) मामला विचाराधीन है। अभी अलग से कोई योजना नहीं बनायी गयी है।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Irregularities relating to colleges at Muzaffarnagar

2644. SHRI RAM NATH KOVIND:
DR. RANBIR SINGH:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission has been sanctioning grants every year to V.V. Inter College and V.V. Post-Graduate Colleges, Shamli, Muzaffarnagar;

(b) if so, the details thereof, year-wise, from 1992-93 to 1995-96;

(c) whether the V.V. Post-Graduate College is not affiliated to Merrut University;

(d) if so, the reasons for sanctioning grants;

(e) whether the original name of V.V. Post-Graduate College was Vaish Inter and Post Graduate College;

(f) whether adoption of the changed name has been prohibited by directives of some authority; and

(g) if so, the reasons for changing the original name of the college?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCAITON IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA): (a) to (g) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Appeal to farmers regarding use of Fertilizers

2645. SHRI K.M. KHAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government while enhancing fertilizers subsidy in the recent past has appealed to the farmers through media to give their land the best mix of fertilizers to maintain long-term health and productivity of the soil;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government propose to take some measures to see that the motto of the appeal is achieved; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. An appeal was made to the farmers through the newspaper to take advantage of massive fertilizer subsidy and give their land the best mix of fertilizers to maintain long-term health and productivity of soil. The farmers were asked:

(1) To get phosphatic and potassic fertilizers at reasonable rates;

(2) To facilitate application of soil nutrients in a balanced manner;

(3) To help in improving soil health;

(4) To help better crop production and productivity.

(c) and (d) Detailed guidelines were issued to the State Governments and Union Territory Administrations to negotiate and arrive at prices most advantageous to the farmers and to take

steps for effective implementation of the scheme to ensure that the benefit of enhanced concession, in its entirely, reaches all categories of farmers.

The likely impact of enhanced concession was reviewed with the representatives of the State Governments and Union Territory Administrations. It is hoped that, with enhancement in concession, the consumption of phosphatic and potassic fertilizers will pick up thereby registering an improvement in the NPK ratio. Government is keeping a watch over the situation.

राष्ट्रीय प्रौढ़ शिक्षा संस्थान

2646. **श्री गोपाल सिंह जी० सोलंकी:** क्या **मानव संसाधन विकास** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) राष्ट्रीय प्रौढ़ शिक्षा संस्थान की स्थापना के मूलभूत उद्देश्य क्या हैं;

(ख) क्या राष्ट्रीय साक्षरता अभियान के दस्तावेजों में अन्तर्विष्ट प्रस्तावों का उल्लंघन करके उक्त संस्थान की स्थापना की गई थी;

(ग) यदि हां, तो क्या सरकार ने इस संस्थान के कार्यकलापों की कोई जांच की है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है और यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय के शिक्षा विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री मुही राम सैकिया): (क) राष्ट्रीय प्रौढ़ शिक्षा संस्थान की स्थापना, प्रौढ़ शिक्षा के क्षेत्र में राष्ट्रीय स्तर के संसाधन केन्द्र के रूप में काम करने के लिए की गई थी। प्रौढ़ शिक्षा कार्यक्रमों के कार्यान्वियन के लिए राष्ट्रीय साक्षरता मिशन को शैक्षिक एवं तकनीकी संसाधन सहायता प्रदान करना, प्रशिक्षण तथा शैक्षिक पाठ्यक्रमों का आयोजन, विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में अनुसंधान करना, मीडिया सामग्री तैयार करना आदि इस संस्थान के मुख्य उद्देश्य हैं।

(ख) इस संस्थान की स्थापना, राष्ट्रीय साक्षरता मिशन दस्तावेज के प्रस्तावों के अनुसरण में की गई है।

(ग) जी, नहीं।

(घ) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Unmanned Railway Crossings in Madhya Pradesh

2647. SHRI LAKKHIRAM AGARWAL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of unmanned railway crossings in the State of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the number of accidents that happened on these crossings during the last five years; and

(c) by when Government propose to take safety measures on these crossings?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ): (a) Total number of unmanned level crossings in Madhya Pradesh is 1810.

(b) Statistics of train accidents are maintained Railway zone-wise and not State-wise.

(c) Safety measures such as rumble strips or Speed breakers & warning signs are already installed.

World Poultry Congress Meet

2648. SHRI GOVINDRAO ADIK: Will the Minister of ANIMAL HUSBANDARY AND DAIRYING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the next World Poultry Congress is to be held in India in September 1996; and

(b) if so, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The XX World Poultry Congress and International Poultry Exhibition is being organised by World's Poultry Science Association (Indian Branch) from 2nd to 8th September, 1996 at New Delhi. The technical programme of the Congress consists of two Symposia, six Plenary Sessions and Forty Technical Sessions covering different aspects of poultry.